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INFORMATION REPORT

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- built by the German in 1941, is located in the village of Rybitvi (051/M69), eight miles west of Pardubice.
- 2. This plant produces a monthly total of 1,000 tons of powdered aniline dyes for the textile industry and powdered dyes for the leather industry, all by the L.G. Farben process. It also makes aniline, payazolone and P.A.S. drugs, in addition to semi-finished products for the paint and pharmaceutical industries.
- 3. Raw materials for the plant, consisting of coal tar, creosol and pyridine, are supplied from the coal mining district of Moravy (sic).
- 4. The plant employs 2,000 people, working in three shifts except for the paint section, where five engineers work in two shifts.
- 5. The paint section has eight production lines, each line having three vats, filters, dryers and one three-atmosphere compressor. The vats are from 2,000 to 10,000 liters in capacity. The equipment is of German and Czech manufacture.
- 6. Most finished paint goes to the textile and leather industries of Czechoslovakia, although large quantities have been exported to Egypt, the USSR, Bulgaria and Albania.
- 7. The plant is surrounded by a barbed wire fence which is guarded by police. It has its own rail siding.

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